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Professor and Dead Letter.

By Nellie Cravey Gillmore.

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Belinda's introduction to the new professor was a distinctly unceremonious one. Tripping lightly across the mud soaked pavement, she suddenly caught one foot in a tangled heap of wire—flung down from the telephone and telegraph lines by the revolving hand of a recent hurricane—and stumbled precipitately into the arms of a blond giant, who supported her valorously till she had blushing recovered her poise.

"Thanks, awfully," she said. "You have doubtless saved my life."

"Your frock, more likely," he replied, lifting his hat. "I am no end glad it happened along at the propitious moment."

Belinda returned him a little combination smile and nod as she lifted her dainty, crisp skirts and pursued her way cautiously across the slippery street.

Hardiman restrained his eagerness until a reasonably safe length of time had elapsed before turning to look around. He had gained the opposite sidewalk by this time, and his glance back at the girl betrayed instantly to the casual pedestrians that the professor or had been abruptly shaken from his phlegmatic attitude of mind.

Belinda turned into Oak street all unconscious of the scrutiny that followed her, and Hardiman continued his way in a tumult of chaotic reflections. He reached his hotel in a state of mind that was quite impossible. The very first look into the girl's face had thrilled him startlingly. The accidental contact of her delicate form against his had finished the job. He told himself that it was a case of love at first sight. So much for the explosion of his lifelong theories! Then a perfect regiment of doubts and fears assailed him. Perhaps after all she was not a girl, but a married woman.

The professor ate his dinner in silence. Afterward he went to his room and for some inexplicable reason exchanged his dark suit for one of lighter and more becoming texture. He brushed his hair, placed a soft gray alpaca hat on his head and sauntered forth in quest of fresh air. It was almost dark before he returned, disappointed and oddly depressed. He eschewed supper altogether and went back to his room for a solitary cigar and meditation.

Meanwhile, Belinda had reached home, put on a pair of dry boots and settled herself for a quiet afternoon. School would open on Monday, and she would not have many more afternoons to lounge, as they would be given over to outdoor recreation after the trying hours of the morning. The town clock, striking 6, aroused her. She tore up the last letter, old love letters they were, and tossed the bits into the grate. Then she made a careful toilet and went downstairs to dinner. Teddy Everett was coming over that evening, she recollected, but for the first time in many months the prospect of a visit from that individual gave her no particular pleasure.

Sunday morning she selected her most becoming gown and hat. It was a perfect day, and her satisfaction was almost complete. She created the usual stir as she walked up the aisle of the village church and took her seat near the front. Less than five minutes afterward the professor came in and sat down in the new opposite. He had been waiting outside half the morning, unobserved, but alert. After service Belinda gave him a fleeting smile of recognition and for some reason that was new to her turned and hurried home as fast as her pretty patent leather covered feet could carry her.

When school opened the following day, the first person she encountered on entering the faculty hall was the new professor. She blushed to her ears and tried valiantly to retain her scholarly demeanor, but the dogged crimson showed persistently through the tanned cheeks, and her eyes were puzzled.

Hardiman made no effort to conceal his gratification, or, if he did, he was not at all successful. The rest of the teachers looked on in good natured amusement. None of them were old maids.

In a month the acquaintance grew to intimacy. In two it became a serious proposition. After three the only thing lacking were the words and the ring.

The professor had at last made up his mind to propose. He had meant to straiten his ardor till the close of the term, but when it became manifest that the adorable little instructor of grade No. 4 reciprocated his affection prudence was thrown to the winds. He sat in his study pondering. Suddenly he got to work disposing of his reports in short, but thorough, order. He made a point of never slighting his duties for anything. Then he drew forth a square envelope and sheet of white paper to match. This seemed to him the most direct and final way of settling matters between them. Belinda was a coquette, there was no getting around that fact, even in one's most generous moments, and Hardiman was determined to corner her completely. He composed his lines carefully; they were inspirational. And now that he had broken the ice at last he meant to carry things to a rapid finish. The professor was nothing if not businesslike. He fished in a drawer and pulled out a teacher's resignation envelope and directed both to the dearest girl in the world.

The following morning the postman's shrill whistle brought Belinda herself to the door. She took the mail and

glanced through it hastily, rivers of scarlet flowing over her cheeks as she recognized Hardiman's familiar handwriting. She tore open the envelope eagerly and scanned the contents with whitening face. The paper fell from her fingers, and she leaned limply against the banister rail. So she was asked, in the briefest possible way, to resign, and she had dared to dream—she had been so sure—she had been such a fool! She smothered the sob in her throat and in quick scorn of herself dashed the hot tears from her eyes. Then she pulled herself together sharply and went upstairs. With trembling fingers she filled out the blank and directed it to the board.

Drab weeks followed. Every effort the professor made to gain an audience with Belinda failed. He had mortified and humiliated her indignantly, and she would see that he got no more chances to repeat the indignity. As to Hardiman, he was on the rack. Fool-like, he reflected, he had rushed in and frightened her away with his maudlin, importunate loquaciousness, and thus lost her for good. But perhaps, after all, it was not for him that she cared, but the other fellow! What a debt he had been to presume upon the affection of a matchless creature like that! Life grew to be a bitter struggle to him, and he began all at once to look his thirty-five years.

It was in May, almost the close of school. The day was warm and oppressive, and a lazy breeze was blowing. The professor made his way in absent weariness toward the school-house, stopping on the way to get his mail from the postoffice. There were several circulars in his box and his breath stopped—a communication from the dead letter office. He broke the seal anxiously, an intuitive knowledge of what it contained making his heart thump thickly. Sure enough: "Miss Belinda Maxwell, Greenville, Colo." And this was Abigail! Unadmitted! Miss Maxwell! Carelessness and stupidity! If living in a place five years could make one responsible for an idiotic blunder of this sort, what else had he not done? He walked out of the postoffice in a daze. All was clear enough now. She had never received his letter at all, only that wretched, confounded blank! No wonder she had frozen him very tight about him—no wonder! Out in the open air, he quickened his footsteps. It was already 8:20, only ten minutes before the opening of school, but he turned directly into Oak street and forgot that he had ever been such a thing as principal of the Greenville High school.

In the distance he caught sight of a familiar blue tailor made gown. He doubled his pace and was quite up with Belinda before she realized his nearness. To her haughty glance, her cool drawing away from him, Hardiman paid no attention whatever, but thrust the letter into her hands in a determined, masterful way which she could not resist.

Hypnotized, she opened it and read the lines through, the crimson moving in her cheeks.

My Darling—I want you to give up teaching and let me do it for both of us. I am not mistaken in thinking that you will come to me? Just a line, giving me the right to speak and I shall attempt to tell you in a different way, in a thousand different ways, how much I worship you. Most earnestly, R. W. H.

Belinda caught her breath in something between a sob and a laugh as she lifted her eyes shyly to his keen, appealing, apologetic and at last commanding glance.

The professor was tardy, very tardy, that morning, but he gave his excuse of a headache glibly and mendaciously and dismissed pupils and teachers for a holiday.

This he spent with Belinda.

England's National Color. Why red should have been selected as the national color becomes intelligible when we look at the cross of St. George. Sir Walter Scott, when he wrote of how "their own sea bath whelmed those red cross powers," was merely anticipating the phrase of today. But Oliver Cromwell, when for the first time he put the English soldier in a red coat, probably did as much as St. George to monopolize red as the national color. The aggressive color has, however, many meanings and has lent itself to many uses. In the days of the Romans when it flared on the head of a slave it stood for freedom; in the days of the French revolution it stood for freedom backed by blood; while in the streets of the city today the red cross stands for succor. So far back as the reign of Henry II. there was a red book of the exchequer, a record of the names of all who held lands "per baroniam," and at this moment persons of consequence in the service of the state find their names entered in a red book—London Chronicle.

Curious Marriage Customs.

Wedding customs in Serbia, that little kingdom in Europe, are curious indeed from an American standpoint. For instance, neither the bride nor the bridegroom is the most important figure in a Serbian wedding, but the best man takes the leading part. He carefully guards the bride all the day before the wedding takes place, and she is not to leave his chamber the night before the girl is to be married. He wears a big stiff sash made of heavy silk, carries a big white staff and a huge bouquet all for himself. There are no bridesmaids, but two god-fathers, each of whom presents to the bride a silk dress. After the priest has performed the ceremony the best man takes the bride around the church and she kisses all her girl friends good-by and is finally carried off to the bridegroom, who at last gets his wife from the hands of the best man. Then the happy couple return to their intended home. Bridal tours are foreign to Serbian ideas and only the very rich or the nobility indulge in them.

GOT HIS REVENGE.

The Way Lord Brougham Paid His Debt to George IV.

With all of his knowledge and talent Lord Brougham was eccentric and slovenly in his personal habits. While he was a young and comparatively unknown barrister he was asked to a dinner at which the prince regent presided. Mr. Brougham's hands needed washing. The regent's keen eyes rested on them. He beckoned to a waiter and gave an order which the man heard with a scared face, and then going out he speedily returned with a ewer full of water, soap and a towel.

He carried them to Brougham, presenting them with the prince regent's compliments. The barrister instantly withdrew and never afterward referred to the insult.

Years later, when the prince, now king, tried to divorce his wife, Brougham, as her defender, so vehemently sustained her cause that she triumphed. The king's name was not mentioned during the trial, though the nation knew that he was secretly the prosecutor. Brougham in his speech declared that he saw in the distance the nameless persecutor of his innocent client, quoting with terrific effect Milton's words:

The other shape,
If shape it might be called, *** black it stood as night,
Pierce as ten furies, terrible as hell,
And shook a dreadful dart; what seemed his head,
The likeness of a kingly crown had on.

George IV. felt seriously this savage attack. The nation sided with the queen, and her defender had paid his debt with interest.

THE DRUG STORE.

Its Evolution From the Apothecaries of the Colonies.

During the seventeenth century the drugstore came to America and closely followed English precedents, modifying them, however, by the practice of the Indians, with whom he came in contact. Quack apothecaries began to spring up in the new land, and in 1636 the colony of Virginia passed a law which among other things regulated the prices and fees of the druggist. At this time it was fashionable for the druggist to practice surgery in addition to pharmacy, and the Virginia colony contained a large number of people who were proficient in both professions. In Massachusetts the business was largely in the hands of Indians, schoolmasters, old women and teachers. The Salem witchcraft delusion retarded the spread of the druggist for some time in the Bay State, for the popular impression fastened on the apothecaries a suspicion that they sold the poisons that were supposed to produce the spells. Among those who suffered persecution at this time mixers of medicine appear to have been prominent.

The drug shop had not yet become a distinct institution. It was usually a branch of the grocery or spice business. In 1647 one Giles, of Boston, had, however, first established himself as a druggist, and attention to pharmacy. In 1648 the first distinctive drug store in America was opened in Boston by William Davies—Lippincott's.

A Horse's Memory.

My father had a fine driving horse that was intelligent and had learned a number of tricks. One night he was stolen and no trace of him found of him for nearly two years when one day father met a stranger driving the horse and of course claimed him. In the dispute which followed father remarked that if it was the horse stolen from him he would on being unharnessed go to the gate, lift the latch, open the gate, go around the barn, slide the bolt, open the door and go into the stall. The man agreed to give the horse up on those terms. They drove home and up the lane to the barn and unharnessed the horse, when, without a moment's hesitation, he performed the feats father said he would.—Chicago Tribune.

A Cat Monitor.

I once owned two cats, one a gray, the other a black. Daily I placed a bowl of milk on the floor for their disposal. One day at the usual hour their meal was served, but only the gray cat was present. She drank about half of the milk and then walked out, only to reappear an hour later, the black cat following. As soon as they entered the house Maltie (which was the gray cat's name) seized Blackie by the ear and led her to the bowl of milk. That was the first and last time that Blackie wasn't present at meal hour.

Good He Wasn't Upright.

A certain judge, while passing through the scene of an election riot, had a large stone thrown at his head, but as he happened to be in a stooping posture at the time it passed over him. "You see," said he, addressing his friends afterward, "that had I been an upright judge I might have been killed."

Awake on the Tip Question.

The regular patron was indignant as the waiter spilled the soup. "You're tipsy," he exclaimed. "Couldn't be on your tips. See?" responded the waiter, at least not so incriminated as to impede his mental processes.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Brute.

Mother-in-Law—Has the young man who saved my life yesterday called upon you yet? Son-in-Law—Yes, indeed. He has already made his apologies.—Fliegende Blätter.

What is good is never too abundant.—Don Quixote.

CURIOUS DECEPTIONS.

The Way Our Senses Are Liable to Play Us False.

Our senses deceive us curiously at times. A flash of lightning lights up the ground for only one-millionth of a second, yet it seems to us to last ever so much longer. What happens is that the impression remains in the eye or the retina for about one-eighth of a second, or 124,000 times as long as the flash lasts. If on a dark night a train speeding along at sixty miles an hour is lit up by a lightning flash it appears stationary, yet in the eighth of a second during which we seem to see it the train travels eleven feet. But we really only see it during one-millionth of a second, and in that time it travels only one-hundredth of an inch.

When a man's leg is cut off, if the stump be irritated he feels the pain in his toes. This curious deception is the same as any one can practice on himself by striking his elbow on the table, when he feels the pain in his fingers. Of course in both cases the pain is felt in the brain.

We do not actually perceive different distances with the eye, but judge them from various indications. When our judgment is at fault we are deceived. If you see a person in a fog, for instance, he seems to be much bigger than usual. The same thing happens when you see men or cattle on the top of a hill against the horizon in twilight. In both cases you judge them to be farther away than they really are, and consequently they appear uncommonly large.

A STUBBORN LOVER.

He Lay Firm and Conquered the Bride's Close Fistic Father.

I remember, says a writer on Irish Life, the marriage of the daughter of a well to do shopkeeper in the town of Galway. The father of the bride was considered to be decidedly close fisted. The bridegroom, as well as I remember, was of a station somewhat superior to that of the family he proposed to ally himself with. The wedding day came, but when the bride party assembled at the chapel the bridegroom failed to appear. After waiting long and vainly for the laggard the emissaries were dispatched to his abode to hasten his coming. They found him snugly ensconced in bed.

"Sorra foot do I stir out of this," said the prospective benedict, "unless the fortune's doubled." For an hour and more intermediaries ran backward and forward between the chapel and the bridegroom's dwelling, striving to make terms, while the bride waited at the altar with such patience as she could muster. The bridegroom, however, stood, or rather lay, firm, and at last the father, unwilling that his daughter should be put to shame in the sight of all Galway by returning to her father's house unwed, gave way and promised to double the fortune as demanded, whereupon the bridegroom got up, dressed himself and went to church to be married.

Largest Crater on the Earth.

The volcano, Aso-san, in southern Japan, on the island of Kjusiu, possesses the largest crater known on the earth. It is about fourteen miles across in one direction by ten or eleven in the other, and is surrounded by walls of an average height of 200 feet. Although the volcano is still active, its eruptions consist only of ashes and dust. Indeed, a range of volcanic mountains, evidently of subsequent formation, extends directly across the old crater. In these particulars Aso-san resembles some of the craters of the moon, where a long history of successive and gradually enfolded outbreaks of volcanic force is graphically represented.

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SONOMA, JULY 20, 1907.
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BRIEF MENTION

Hunting notices at this office. Daunt does the only reliable watch repairing.

Hunting notices printed at this office. The very latest form.

The public school at this place reopens on Monday, July 29th.

D. Modini, of Petaluma, was in town Sunday visiting relatives here.

The Daily Chronicle and Index-Tribune only \$9 for the two newspapers.

The Agua Caliente Springs Hotel has been crowded with guests the past week.

Any repair work left at Mrs. Lutgen's will receive prompt attention by Daunt.

Now is the time to lay concrete sidewalks. See Trudgen, the stone mason, about it.

For Sale—White Leghorn Pullets. Some commencing to lay. Apply to B. E. Darling, Sonoma.

The Santa Rosa cannery has been buying up quite a quantity of fruit in this valley the past month.

PERSONAL AND
SOCIAL NOTES.

Rev. C. C. Cragin is enjoying his vacation abroad.

Bert Jones was in town from Oakland Sunday.

John Wagon was a visitor to Alameda Sunday.

Chas. Lane was a Glen Ellen visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Poulsen was in Santa Rosa last Thursday.

A. Beltrami, of San Francisco, visited here last Sunday.

Miss Amy Engler is spending her vacation in Monterey.

G. H. Waugh visited in San Francisco one day this week.

Mrs. Vera Fields, of Oakland, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Olga Gordenker, of Glen Ellen, was in town Monday.

Mrs. P. Monahan, of Glen Ellen, was shopping here Monday.

Miss Nellie Sullivan was shopping in the metropolis Monday.

Capt. J. Johnson transacted business in Santa Rosa last Thursday.

Miss Lily Bulotti visited San Francisco for several days this week.

Mrs. Mollie Pohley was a Sonoma visitor to the county seat Wednesday.

Miss Edna Poppe, of Glen Ellen was the guest of Miss Laura Fussel the latter part of last week.

The M. E. Sunday School of this place gave a very enjoyable picnic last Tuesday in Maxwell's grove.

Mrs. Charles Reigelbuth and daughters have returned to their city home after a week's sojourn here.

Mrs. Robt. Poppe and daughter, Miss Emily Poppe, left Monday for a two-weeks' sojourn at Pacific Grove.

Mrs. Wm. McElroy and daughter, Miss Edna McElroy, leave for Monterey next Monday, where they will spend a few weeks at the seaside.

Miss Sadie Dunbar celebrated her ninth birthday last Saturday afternoon at her parents home on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Gilbert came up from San Francisco Saturday evening and spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Nolting has returned to her Alameda home after a visit of several weeks here, very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Spaulding and children are taking their annual outing this season in Mendocino and Lake counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Gisin, of San Francisco, have rented the Sprague cottage on Second-street East and will spend a couple of months here.

Mrs. Henry Bates and daughter, Miss Nancy, left last Sunday for Benicia where they will visit with friends for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. A. Bates and daughter, Mrs. McMullin, and Master Joe McMullin went to San Francisco one day this week to visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules Clerfoyt, who have recently returned from Europe, are relatives of Mrs. Robt. P. Hill and frequently visit at Eldridge.

Ed. Morris of Agua Caliente, visited his sister Miss Helen Morris, in San Francisco last Sunday. Miss Morris, whose health has been quite poor of late, is undergoing treatment at the home of Dr. Rich in that city.

THE SONOMA VALLEY
IS GROWING SOME.

Assessor's Books for Fiscal Year Show Marked
Increase of Valuation
In Every Road District in Valley.

County Assessor Dowd has completed the assessment roll of Sonoma county, and every road district shows a big increase over all previous assessments. In the three road districts of this valley the footings show an increase in the valuation of property of over \$50,000, exclusive of Sonoma City, which has increased its wealth from \$344,855 in 1906-7 to \$383,685 in 1907-8, being a net gain of \$38,830 in one year. This speaks well for our little town and shows that Sonoma is growing some.

The assessment of the three road districts of Sonoma Valley follows: Glen Ellen—Real estate, \$257,115; improvements thereon, \$122,720; city and town lots, \$21,240; improvements thereon, \$15,845; mortgage interests, \$95,120; personal property, \$37,750; money and solvent credits, \$4,600; total value after deductions, \$459,270; last year, \$444,685.

Agua Caliente—Real estate, \$297,245; improvements thereon, \$122,545; city and town lots, \$43,880; improvements thereon, \$33,620; mortgage interests, \$83,965; personal property, \$45,945; money and solvent credits, \$3,820; total value after deductions, \$547,055; last year, \$539,270.

San Luis—Real estate, \$727,105; improvements thereon, \$218,270; city and town lots, \$2,319; improvements thereon, \$4,145; mortgage interests, \$90,825; personal property, \$91,470; money and solvent credits, \$4,100; total value after deductions, \$1,047,405; last year, \$1,025,740.

THE SONOMA VALLEY
UNION HIGH SCHOOL

The Old Teachers Supplanted by
New Ones With a Single
Exception.

At a recent meeting of the Trustees of the Sonoma Union High School the old teachers were replaced by new ones with a single exception. Prof. R. H. Piatt, teacher of the commercial course, being retained. George C. Russell, of Brentwood succeeds T. A. Lewis as principal. The other teachers selected are as follows: Margaret Moore, assistant; Edna Trueblood, assistant and R. H. Piatt, teacher of the commercial course.

The school reopens on Monday, August 12th, in the Cleve building, the temporary use of which will be continued until the new High School structure being built by contractor A. E. Warriner is completed and accepted by the school board.

Rebekah Installation.

Verdant Rebekah Degree Lodge, No. 99, I. O. O. F., has installed the following officers to serve for the ensuing term, the installing officer being District Deputy Lydia Linton: Noble Grand, Emma A. Small; Vice Grand, Hazel Gise; Treasurer, Ida Entelmann; Secretary, Ada Pauli; Warden, Mrs. J. M. Cheney; Conductor, Mamie Fochetti; Chaplain, Clara Johnson; Inside Guardian, Grace McGimsey.

After the installation light refreshments were served.

Hunters' License Tags.

Fifteen hundred hunters license tags have so far been issued by County Clerk Wright with applications coming in daily, and a new batch of tags have been ordered from Sacramento.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Has surpassed all other medicines, in merit, sales and cures.

Its success, great as it has been, has apparently only just begun.

It has received by actual count more than 40,000 testimonials in two years.

It purifies the blood, cures all blood diseases, all humors and all eruptions.

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It cures that tired feeling and makes the weak strong.

In usual liquid form or in chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 doses \$1.

Arrested and Discharged
From Custody.

J. M. Robinson was arrested in El Verano last Tuesday afternoon by Deputy Sheriff Ryan charged with attempting to steal a cask of wine from Lounibos' wine cellar in that place. Later on he was taken before Judge Small and discharged from custody as there was no evidence to back up the charge.

CONSTRUCTION OF
EL VERANO BRIDGE
CAN NOW GO ON.

Judge Seawell Upholds the
County in Its Condemnation
Right of Way
Suit.

The county bridge which crosses Sonoma Creek at El Verano, which has been closed to travel for six or eight months, owing to the approaches being washed away early last winter will soon be open to the public again.

On Saturday last Judge Seawell handed down his decision in the condemnation suit of Sonoma county vs. Amy and Donald Maxwell. The county was given judgment and the small strip of land belonging to the Maxwells which was needed for a bridge site and approach to the same has been condemned and the Board of Supervisors have ordered the contractor to go ahead with the work and complete the approaches to the bridge as speedily as possible.

Drowned Girl Buried in
Mountain Cemetery.

The remains of Miss Mabel Murphy, the seventeen-year-old girl from San Francisco, who was drowned in Sonoma Creek on the 11th inst., were laid to rest in Mountain Cemetery last Saturday. It now transpires that the girl, who was an excellent swimmer, was bathing in a swimming hole in the creek with a number of other girls. She had dived off the spring board several times and with the remark "I will take one more dive and then quit," she sprang into the water and when she arose she was unable to help herself, evidently having become partially stunned by striking her head on the creek bottom. Throwing her hands in the air she sank three times and was drowned before the eyes of her girl companions who were unable to go to her rescue.

The girl's parents who live in San Francisco were too poor to pay the funeral expenses, and with their characteristic generosity the good people of Glen Ellen made up a purse and had the remains buried in Mountain Cemetery at this place.

Lost.

Large telescope basket containing clothing disappeared on Thursday morning's Northwestern Pacific railway train. Return to Lawrence Villa and receive reward.

Victim of Galloping Consumption.

Peter J. Weber, of San Francisco, died of galloping consumption in Dr. Leix's sanitarium Thursday after a lingering illness. The deceased came here from San Francisco several weeks ago suffering from the fell destroyer, thinking the salubrious climate of Sonoma would prove beneficial to him, but the disease had claimed him for its own and he became gradually weaker and finally took to his bed in the Toscano Hotel where he was sojourning. The Native Sons of San Francisco, of which order he was a member, were notified of their brother's condition and had him removed to Dr. Leix's sanitarium for medical treatment. The members of the order also arranged for a day and night nurse, his condition being too critical for removal to San Francisco. He entered the sanitarium on Wednesday of last week but he was beyond medical aid, and as stated above passed away Thursday. The members of the Native Sons Parlor of San Francisco took charge of the remains and had them shipped to that city for interment. During the stay of deceased at the Toscano Hotel Mr. and Mrs. Ciucci did everything in their power to make him comfortable.

The disease which carried the unfortunate young man off was hereditary in the family, two brothers having died of it only a short time ago.

JUDGE SEAWELL'S
DECISION IS
AFFIRMED.

Solani, the Glen Ellen Murderer, Must Serve Out
His Sentence.

The Appellate Court has affirmed the decision of Judge Emmet Seawell in the case of John Solani, convicted of murder in the second degree. Solani was first convicted of manslaughter, and sentenced, and a new trial was obtained.

At the second trial after the case had been given to the jury, attorneys for the accused requested Judge Seawell to recall the jury and instruct them that the defendant having been once in jeopardy, could not be charged with any crime more enormous than manslaughter, of which he was convicted at the first trial. Judge Seawell refused to grant the request on the ground that it was not made at the proper time, and an appeal was taken on the ground that the court erred in not recalling the jury and giving the instruction asked. The Appellate Court upholds the trial court.

Solani shot and killed John Guidotti, a bad man of Glen Ellen, and also wounded one Ricci. Both men were shot in the head. At the second trial the man was convicted of murder in the second degree and was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in Folsom. His sentence on the original conviction, of manslaughter was materially less.

A Mid-Summer Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Lucinda McElroy and Mr. A. Skinner was solemnized last Sunday at noon at the home of the bride's parents on Broadway, the Rev. Mr. Rowe, of the Methodist Church, officiating. The bride, who is sweet and lovable, is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McElroy. The groom is a well-known real estate agent of this place.

The bride was gowned in a beautiful costume of white chiffon and valenciennes lace over white taffeta and she carried a shower bouquet of white carnations. She wore a veil of tulle which was fastened to her dark hair by a wreath of orange blossoms. The bridesmaid, Miss Edna McElroy, a younger sister, was becomingly gowned in white silk mull over Nile green taffeta and carried a bouquet of maiden hair ferns.

The marriage took place beneath a wedding bell of white roses and smilax, and every room in the house was a bower of loveliness. Lohengrin's wedding march announced the bridal party, and the bride, in the presence of relatives and immediate friends, was given away by her father.

After the ceremony a dainty wedding luncheon was served, and at 4 p. m. the young couple departed on their honeymoon. The bride wore a handsome traveling gown of dark navy blue etamine with a picture hat of white.

Sonoma Grammar School
Reopens July 29th.

The Sonoma Grammar School will reopen, after the midsummer vacation, on Monday, July 29th. There will be no change of teachers, all the old ones having been retained by the school board.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Riser have returned from their outing at Dillon's Beach.

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Feed your hair; nourish it; give it something to live on. Then it will stop falling, and will grow long and heavy. Ayer's Hair Vigor is the only genuine hair-food you can buy. It gives new life to the hair-bulbs. You save what hair you have, and get more, too. And it keeps the scalp clean and healthy.

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Rudolph Spreckels Will
Rebuild.

Rudolph Spreckels will shortly commence the erection of a costly mansion on his magnificent country place at Sobre Vista. It will take the place of the one destroyed by fire a few years ago and will be one of the finest residences in Sonoma county.

SONOMA COUNTY'S BIG
INCREASE IN WEALTH.

The Assessment Roll for
1907 Shows Increase of
Over a Million and a
Half in Property
Valuation.

The assessment rolls for Sonoma County for 1907-8 have been footed up by County Assessor Frank E. Dowd, and show a net gain over last year's assessment of \$1,570,875 and this, too, in face of the fact that Santa Rosa and other towns in the county were badly shattered by the earthquake of last year. More remarkable still is the fact that Santa Rosa, the business section of which was all but entirely wiped out by the tremor and the fire that followed in its wake, shows an increase in property valuations over last year of \$330,000.

The assessment for each city in the county as compared with that of 1905-6 is as follows:

Santa Rosa—Value of city and town lots, \$2,035,200; improvements thereon, \$1,529,505; mortgage interests, \$521,885; money and solvent credits, \$107,500; total value after deductions, \$4,195,470; last year, \$3,864,670.

Petaluma—Value of city and town lots, \$1,050,235; improvements thereon, \$1,071,465; mortgage interests, \$199,605; personal property, \$508,645; money and solvent credits, \$64,020; total value after deductions, \$2,694,365; last year, \$2,423,210.

Healdsburg—Value of city and town lots, \$290,235; improvements thereon, \$419,360; mortgage interests, \$105,105; personal property, \$147,190; money and solvent credits, \$42,500; total value after deductions, \$899,285; last year, \$859,290.

Sebastopol—Value of city and town lots, \$166,850; improvements thereon, \$238,765; mortgage interests, \$67,865; personal property, \$86,600; money and solvent credits, \$8,900; total value of all property after deductions, \$501,115; last year, \$459,520.

Cloverdale—Value of city and town lots, \$88,720; improvements thereon, \$193,830; mortgage interests, \$40,065; personal property, \$51,930; money and solvent credits, \$3,550; total value of all property after deductions, \$338,030; last year, \$312,775.

Sonoma City—Value of city and town lots, \$102,715; improvements thereon, \$193,520; mortgage interests, \$61,775; personal property, \$74,165; money and solvent credits, \$13,285; total value of all property after deductions, \$383,685; last year, \$344,855.

Grand total for cities and towns—Value of city and town lots, \$3,733,955; improvements thereon, \$3,646,445; mortgage interests, \$996,300; personal property, \$1,391,795; money and solvent credits, \$239,755; total value after deductions, \$9,011,950; last year, \$8,265,260.

Grand total for county—Real estate, \$14,374,650; improvements thereon, \$4,568,435; city and town lots, \$3,998,225; improvements thereon, \$4,035,535; mortgage interests, \$4,703,340; personal property, \$3,675,960; money and solvent credits, \$506,100; total value after deductions, \$31,158,905; last year, \$29,588,030.

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COURT BUSINESS

AT SANTA ROSA

LAST MONDAY.

The Calendars in Both Departments of Superior Court Called by
Judge Denny.

In department No. 1 the following was ordered:

E. Pellascio vs. W. P. Taylor et al., demurrer to cross complaint, August 5th.

Lotta Wilhite vs. Lawrence R. Wilhite, demurrer to answer and cross complaint, July 22d.

Henry Morneau, naturalization, August 8th.

Sonoma Stone and Construction Co. vs. A. E. Chartrand, August 8th.

Motion to file amended answer and cross complaint in action of Emelie Burell vs. Joseph Burell, granted, and trial set for September 24th.

Motion to strike out and demurrer submitted in suit of Ponzo vs. Fessoni.

In department No. 2 continuances were ordered as follows: Resting homestead in estate of Mary Needham, deceased, to July 17th.

Bane Estate Co. vs. Connecticut Fire Ins. Co. to September 3d, to be set.

J. S. Ames vs. William Knowles, to Sept. 3d, to be set.

John O'Brien vs. L. D. Batchelor, demurrer, to July 22d.

Sonoma Stone and Construction Company vs. H. E. Chartrand, to Aug. 8th, for trial.

The suit of Albert E. Lichau vs. Archibald on demurrer was transferred to department No. 1.

The naturalization of Jacob Ambrose Biri and Thomas B. Hickley were dropped from the calendar owing to the non appearance of the petitioners.

Default was entered in the divorce suit of Lola M. Baago vs. E. A. Baago.

The motion to strike out cost bill from the files and change of venue in the suit of Edwood Politz vs. Mary C. Wickersham, were submitted.

The hearings of the final account in the estate of Cornelia G. Ohm, deceased, continued to July 22d.

Return on sale of real estate, in estate of Jens. Thomsen, deceased, to July 17th.

Guardianship of Waldo D. Tomasi; letters of administration, estates of Telford Lowe, deceased, and Giovanni Valleria, deceased, July 22d.

The final account of Theresa Blum as executrix of the estate of Louis Blum, deceased, was settled, allowed and the petition for distribution submitted.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Adolph Marzo came up from the metropolis Sunday.

County Clerk Collins, of Napa, was here on business last Wednesday.

George Winkler, the county surveyor, was here on business this week.

Miss J. Emily Wagner, of Stockton, is spending her vacation here in Sonoma.

A. Beretta, of San Francisco was here this week. He is looking for a house for his family and if he can find one suitable will make his home here.

Mrs. B. E. Darling, who recently left for Jamestown, New York, to visit her mother and other relatives, has arrived safely at the end of her journey and writes that she was much improved in health. Upon her arrival at her old Eastern home she was serenaded by a good old-fashioned thunder storm.

EL VERANO.
By Long Jack.

Thomas Mullen is taking a vacation.

Fifty guests are registered at Rossi's Swiss-American Hotel.

Every resort in this place is doing twice the business of last year.

A new electric pump has been installed on the Swiss-American Hotel grounds.

Lounibos' winery is still under lock and key, but will soon be released by the revenue officers.

The Bellevue Hotel presents a lively aspect these times and mine host Serres has his hands full entertaining a record breaking number of city folks.

El Verano Villa is getting more than its share of business this season and Mr. and Mrs. La Motte are on the jump from early morning till dewy eve.

Take the Postmaster's Word
for It.

Mr. F. M. Hamilton, postmaster at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a stock of general merchandise and patent medicines. He says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is standard here in its line. It never fails to give satisfaction, and we could hardly afford to be without it."

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"I find Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to be the best remedy in the world," says Mr. C. L. Carter of Skrum, Ala. "I am subject to colic and diarrhoea. Last spring it seemed as though I would die, and I think I would if I hadn't taken Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have been troubled with it since until this week, when I had a very severe attack and took half a bottle of the twenty-cent size Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and this morning I feel like a new man."

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H. H. GRANICE, Editor.

STORY OF TWO DUELS.

A Sword Thrust, a Bullet Wound and an Extraordinary Sequel.

When dueling was an actual factor in the social order of this country it had many worthy and notable exponents, including no less distinguished personages than Henry Clay, Andrew Jackson, Alexander Hamilton, De Witt Clinton, Stephen Decatur and others of the same type, but nowhere on this continent was it so much an established institution as in that peculiarly romantic old city of New Orleans. It was woven into the very fabric of the life of the community, and many a crumbling tombstone in the antiquated creole cemeteries bears grim and silent witness to the fact, though to understand the situation more clearly one should have been so to speak, the atmosphere of the period.

M. Augustin, who afterward became a district judge and general of the Louisiana legion, was the victor in several encounters in which the temper of the period caused him to be engaged. One in particular is noteworthy on account of the part it played in an extraordinary freak of fortune. Alexander Grailhe was of a fending party, though the insult, or rather, provocation, for gentlemen seldom insulted, would in this day be of scant concern. But some cause of action was present, and each was sure that a deadly meeting would certainly follow. They rode together in a carriage with ladies, who, after the duel, commented on their mutual affability during the entire trip, which only serves to show how delicately adjusted was the code of etiquette, especially in the presence of ladies.

They fought at The Oaks, and as soon as the weapons had been crossed and the impressive "Allez, messieurs," pronounced Grailhe, who was "high strung and hot blooded"—doubtless under the stress of what he regarded as a grievous provocation—lost his temper and furiously charged his antagonist. Augustin, on the contrary, was cool, collected and agile, parrying each savage thrust until by a tempo d'arrêt (sudden pause), judiciously interpolated into a vicious lunge of Grailhe's, he pierced him through the chest. Grailhe, with one of his lungs perforated, remained for a long time hovering between life and death, and when at last he did come out of his room he was bowed like an octogenarian.

It was now only a question of time for the wounded man, as an internal abscess had formed where it could not be reached—surgery then was not what it is now—and the doctors despaired of saving him. Some time after he had been up and about a quarrel with Colonel Mandeville de Marigny resulted in his challenging that distinguished citizen. This duel was also fought at The Oaks, but as Grailhe was too weak to do himself justice with a sword the weapons chosen were pistols, at fifteen paces, each to have two shots, advance five paces and fire at will. At the first shot, fired simultaneously, the unfortunate man fell forward, pierced by his adversary's bullet, which had entered the exact place of his former and yet unhealed wound. Marigny, with pistol in hand and as placed as a marble statue, advanced to the utmost limit marked out, when Grailhe, who was suffering greatly, exclaimed: "Fire again. You have another shot."

With grave dignity Marigny raised his pistol above his head and fired into the air, saying with frigid politeness, "I never strike a fallen foe."

More dead than alive, the stricken duelist was carried home by his friends and consigned to the care of his physicians; but, instead of sinking rapidly, as was expected, he really began to mend and by the following morning was much improved. The ball had penetrated to the abscess which had threatened his life and made an exit for its poisonous accumulations. Some time afterward he walked out of his room as erect as ever and soon regained his health and stately bearing. —Century Magazine.

Psychology of Gambling.
The fundamental basis of the injury done by gambling is a tendency to overrate the chances of winning. When a man speculates by staking, say, \$1 on the chance of winning \$100, observes an English writer in Nature, the notion of winning \$100 makes a big impression on his mind and means something more real to him than the idea that the odds are 200 to 1 against him, say. He forms a clear mental picture of the prize, and the odds do not present the same picture to his mind. Consequently, he exaggerates his prospects.

Appropriate.
A minister, having given out his "notices," was about to read his hymn when he was remanded of one he had forgotten. Stopping, he made this announcement, apologizing for his forgetfulness. Then, much to the amusement of his audience, he began to line out the hymn as follows: "Lord, what a thoughtless wretch am I." —Judge.

It Wasn't Funny.
"But he's a regular professional funny man."
"I know he is."
"But you referred to him as an 'unconscious humorist.'"
"So he was on the occasion to which I refer. He had tried to be funny with a tough gent from the Fourth ward." —Philadelphia Press.

All Dead to Him.
Wife—The doctor orders me to the mineral baths at Carlsbad, and you refuse me the means to go. That shows how little you value me. Husband—On the contrary, I do not wish to lose a pound of you. —Fliegende Blätter.

Soak ink stains in sour milk, and should a stain still remain rinse in a weak solution of chloride of lime.

The Doctor Away from Home When Most Needed.

People are often very much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cholera, colic and cholera morbus require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life.

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Your Liver

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Galliano's Quinine Hair Tonic.

Joe Galliano, at First Street East, Pinell building, has introduced into Sonoma a hair tonic, called Quinine Tonic, which is a wonderful remedy for the prevention of baldness. Mr. Galliano has had many years experience under a first-class physician in Europe. A great number of cases of baldness are caused by indigestion, and not as is presumed, by a disease of the scalp. It is not claimed that Quinine Tonic will grow hair on a bald head, as a number of fake tonics are advertised to do, but it is claimed and guaranteed that Quinine Tonic will stop the hair from falling out, and if used twice a week will clear the head from dandruff which will not return as long as the Tonic is used. Quinine Tonic is composed of the five following articles: Pure Alcohol, Quinine, Sulphur, Glycerine and Turmeric. If the Tonic is used and not found as represented, Galliano will refund the money. The Quinine Tonic will also save the trouble of shampooing the hair. This Tonic is for sale at both drug stores in Sonoma.

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EARLY ARITHMETICS.

Struggles of the Pilgrim Children With One of the "R's."

Next to penmanship the colonial school and schoolmaster took firm stand on "ciphering." "The Bible and figures is what I want my boys to know," said the old farmer. I have examined with care a Wingate's Arithmetic which was used for over a century in the Winslow family in Massachusetts. The first edition was printed in 1620. It is certainly bewildering to a modern reader. "Pythagoras—His Table" is of course our multiplication table. Then come "The Rule of Three," "The Double Golden Rule," "The Rule of Fellowship," "The Rule of False," etc., ending with "a collection of pleasant and polite questions to exercise all the parts of vulgar arithmetic."

Wingate's Arithmetic and Hodder's Arithmetic were succeeded by Pike's Arithmetic. This had 363 rules to be committed to memory, and not an explanation was given of one of them. It is the most barren schoolbook I have ever read. These printed arithmetics were not in common use. Nearly all teachers had manuscript "sum books," from which the scholars copied page after page of "sums," too often without any explanation of the process, though there were also many and long rules, which helped the penmanship if they did not the mathematics. —Exchange.

BARBED WIRE.

A Lucky Device That Brought Millions

to Its Inventor.

"The luckiest invention in history," said a patent official, "was that of barbed wire. It came about by accident."

"Isaac L. Ellwood was the inventor of barbed wire. In his youth he lived in De Kalb, Ill., and, having a neighbor whose pigs trespassed on his garden, he put up one day a wire fence of his own make. This fence had barbs and points on it. It was queer and ugly, but it kept out the pigs."

"It was a real barbed wire fence, the first in the world, and there were millions of money in it, but young Ellwood and his friends laughed at its freak appearance."

"One day two strangers saw this fence, perceived how well it kept out the pigs, realized how cheap it was—realized, in a word, its value—and ordered several tons of it from Ellwood. Furthermore, they contracted to sell for a term of years all the barbed wire he could produce."

"Ellwood borrowed \$1,000 and set up a little factory. A few years later on he had paid back that loan and was worth a small matter of \$15,000,000 besides." —New York Press.

The Water Lily.

Almost everybody has observed the

strange characteristic of the water lily

bud opening its petals at sunrise and

closing them again at sunset. It was

for this reason mainly that the an-

cient held the water lily sacred to the

sun. Pliny says: "It is reported that

in the Euphrates the flower of the lotus

plunges into the water at night, re-

maining there till morning, and to such

a depth that it cannot be reached with

the hand. After midnight it begins

gradually to rise, and as the sun rises

above the horizon the flower also rises

above the water, expands and raises

itself some distance above the element

in which it grows." It was also

through this peculiarity that Hancar-

ville proved that the Egyptians con-

sidered the lily an emblem of the

sun as it rose from the waters of the

deep.

Get Free.

The expression "scot free," which is

in use every day, harks back to the

times of Scottish romance and tragedy

so luminously described by Sir Walter

Scott in "The Antiquary" and "Rob

Roy." In these stirring tales we are

told of one form of Scottish trials giv-

ing certain offenders of justice. He

who had broken the law was divested

of all of his clothing and placed at a

certain distance from archers who

had bows and arrows ready, waiting

the command, "Fire!" When the com-

mand was given, the man under indi-

cement would begin running and the

archers firing, and if in running this

greatest feat of the arrows hit him he

was allowed to go scot free. —Exchange.

A Real Genius.

From the composers of all time

Beethoven stands out by himself like

some gigantic tree towering up above

the rest of the forest. He was the

greatest genius of all, not for any one

thing that he did, but because he was

equally great in every style of music

that he essayed. The first test of real

genius is the ability to excel in all

directions, and for this reason I have

always looked upon Beethoven, Shake-

spere and Turner as the three greatest

geniuses who have ever existed. —Emil

Sauer in Strand Magazine.

Just His Luck.

"Hello," said Borem. "I just thought

I'd drop in on you today to—"

"I thought you would, too," inter-

rupted Merchant.

"You did? Now, that's strange, be-

cause—"

"Not at all. This is the busiest day

I've had for two weeks." —Catholic

Standard and Times.

Tit For Tat.

Husband—I wish I had some of those

good, old fashioned biscuits like

mother used to make for me. Wife—

And I wish I had some of those nice

new fashioned clothes like father used

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